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Applicant : Michael CHEN)

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For : SCANNER WITH A SCAN-STARTING)
DEVICE)

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Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

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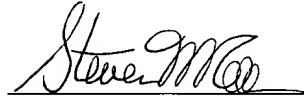
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